June 23d, Saint Cloud:

So many horses have been bought up for Spain and for army remounts, that France has been drained of horses.

July 5th. (To Marshal Davout.) Colonial produce coming from Sweden and from Prussia must be confiscated, because it comes from England; all colonial produce must be confiscated, wherever it comes from, because it all comes from England. Issue orders and see to it that all colonial produce is confiscated wherever it comes from.

15th, Trianon:

(To Marct.) There are no American ships; all the so-called American ships are English, or chartered on English account; if the American minister maintains the contrary, he doesn't know what he is talking about.

August 18th, Paris:

Gentlemen, deputies of the department of the Lippe. the city of MUnster belonged to an ecclesiastical prince: deplorable result of ignorance and superstition! You had no fatherland. Providence, that has enabled me to restore the throne of Charlemagne, has by a natural course brought you back, together with Holland and the Han-aeatic cities, within the fold of the Empire. From the moment when you became Frenchmen, my heart made no difference between you and the other parts of my dominions. As soon as circumstances permit I shall feel a keen satisfaction in visiting your country.

September £5th, on board the *Charlemagne* off Flushing:

We have been thirty-six hours without communication